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SUBJECT: MODE: REVIEW AND VERIFICATION OF MISSION STAFFING

REF: (A) DEPARTMENT'S A -2527, MAY 18, 1976,

(B) WARSAW'S OM, JULY 1, 1976

1. THE EMBASSY'S OM OF JULY 1, 1976 (REF B) WAS SENT TO THE DEPARTMENT WITHOUT MY CLEARANCE. CANCEL THIS OPERATIONS MEMORADUM AND SUBSTITUTE THE FOLLOWING AS WARSAW'S RESPONSE TO THE DEPARTMENT'S A-2527 (REF A).

2. EMBASSY WARSAW HAS REVIEWED THE ATTACHED TABLE OF CIVILIAN AGENCY PERSONNEL WITHIN JURISDICTION OF THE DIPLOMATIC CHIEF OF MISSION FOR POLAND AS OF MARCH 31, 1976, AND HAS FOUND IT TO BE CURRENT AND CORRECT. THE TOTAL NUMBER OF AMERICAN DEPENDENTS IN POLAND AS OF MARCH 31, 1976, WAS 78.

3. I INCLUDED IN MAY ANNUAL U.S. POLICY ASSESSMENT FOR POLAND (WARSAW 1260) A RECOMMENDATION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THREE ADDITIONAL PERMANENT AMERICAN POSITIONS DEEMED ESSENTIAL TO THE PURSUIT OF OUR POLICY GOALS. THESE POSITIONS ARE:

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A. AN ADDITIONAL POLITICAL OFFICER;

B. A SECRETARY FOR THE REGIONAL SECURITY OFFICER;
AND
C. AN ADMINISTRATIVE CLERK FOR THE CONSULATE
IN KRAKOW.

4. I CONTINUE TO URGE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE
ABOVE THREE POSITIONS AND WISH, IN ADDITION, TO
RENEW THE RECOMMENDATION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT
OF AN ASSISTANT SCIENCE ATTACHE POSITION CONTAINED
IN THE EMBASSY'S 1974 ANNUAL ASSESSMENT (75 WARSAW 1832).
THE STEADY INCREASE IN THE ACTIVITY OF THE SCIENCE OFFICE
FOLLOWING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE MARIE SKLODOWSKA-CURIE
JOINT FUND FULLY JUSTIFIES AN ADDITIONAL U.S. POSITION.
I ALSO REITERATE OUR REQUEST FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A
SECRETARIAL PIT POSITION IN THE CONSULAR SECTION TO
ABSORB THE IMPACT OF THE ABOLITION BY THE DEPARTMENT
OF POSITION 30-9280-057. AS STATED IN OUR CONSULAR
PACKAGE FOR FY 1978 (A-178, MAY 11, 1976) AT LEAST
1000 HOURS PER YEAR OF PIT EMPLOYMENT OF AN
AMERICAN SECRETARY IN THE CONSULAR SECTION WILL BE
REQUIRED. ACCORDINGLY, I REQUEST THAT THE BUREAU
ESTABLISH SUCH A PIT POSITION AT THE LEVEL OF
20 HOURS PER WEEK EFFECTIVE JANUARY, 1977, UPON
THE ABOLITION OF POSITION 057. FINALLY, THE
NEED FOR AN ADDITIONAL LOCAL PROGRAM
CLERICAL POSITION TO BE SHARED BY THE EXECUTIVE
OFFICER AND THE POLITICAL SECTION REMAINS PRESSING.
THE DUTIES WOULD BE THOSE DESCRIBED IN THE FINAL
PARAGRAPH OF OUR 1976 ANNUAL ASSESSMENT (WARSAW 1260).
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